

# *Executive Proclamation*

## *State of South Dakota*

### *Office of the Governor*

*Whereas*, The Custodian Engineers Association of South Dakota was incorporated in 1943; and,

*Whereas*, The purpose of the association is to educate building maintenance personnel in order to promote a higher standard of building and grounds maintenance in the state of South Dakota; and,

*Whereas*, The state is divided into 11 units, the various units hold monthly meetings with a variety of programs throughout the year, and each year in June a statewide convention is conducted that offers classes in many fields; and,

*Whereas*, The association offers a "Custodian of the Year" and a "Unit of the Year" award at its convention as an incentive to recognize special people in the profession; and,

*Whereas*, Scholarships are offered and awarded at the convention to members, children, or grandchildren of a current or recent member to help further the education of the recipients; and,

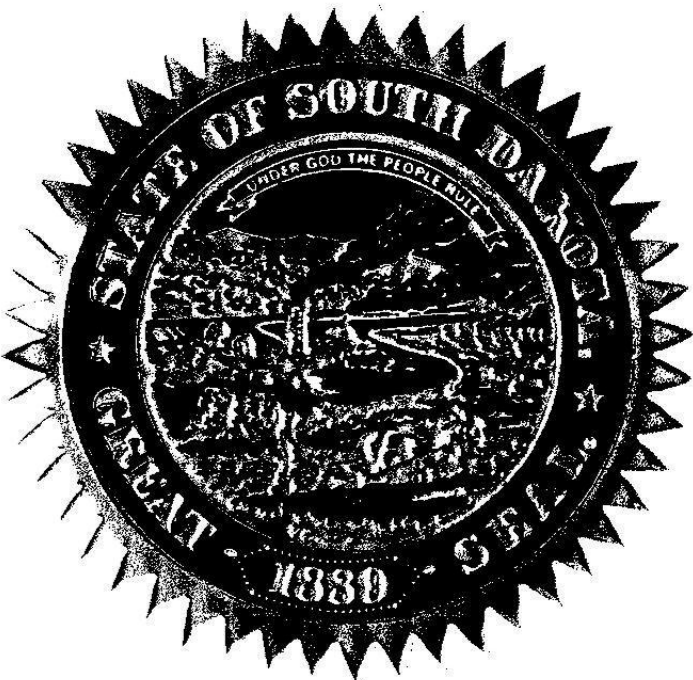
*Whereas*, A custodian maintains the safety, security, and cleanliness of buildings in a professional manner; are the eyes in the hallways; and should be honored for their dedication to their profession; and,

*Whereas*, This year's convention will be held June 11-13, 2008, in Huron, South Dakota, at the Huron Events Center:

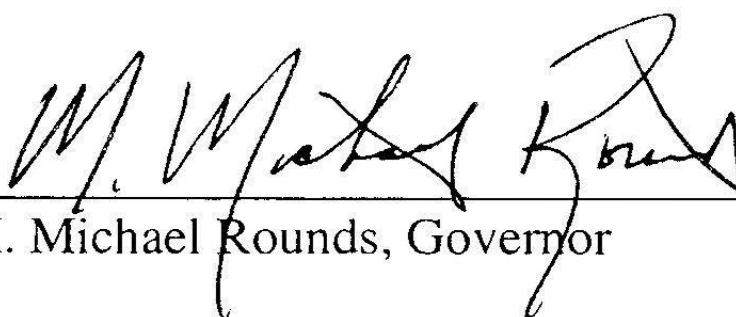
*Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds*, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 7-13, 2008, as

### *CUSTODIAN WEEK*

in South Dakota.



*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eight.

  
M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:



Chris Nelson, Secretary of State